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"Subjects, plans, and literature for chats during August 1951."

**I. We will expand socialist competition for pre-term fulfillment of the 1951 production plan.**

1. Fulfillment of obligations undertaken in a letter to Comrade Stalin for pre-term fulfillment of the production plan by 20 December 1951 -- an affair of honor for all workers of Moscow industry and transport.
2. Raising the productivity of labor, introducing the experience of innovators, lowering production costs, and output in excess of the plan -- a most important condition for pre-term fulfillment of the yearly plan.
3. Daily fulfillment and overfulfillment of norms by every working man and woman -- a prerequisite for exceeding the 1951 plan.
4. The struggle to ensure quality of production -- the patriotic duty of every worker and collective.
5. How they are carrying out socialist obligations in our enterprise, shop, and brigade.

Literature

- "For the Workers, Engineering-Technical Workers and Employees of Enterprises of Industry and Transport of the City of Moscow and Moscow Oblast to the Chairman of the Council of Ministers USSR Comrade Stalin, Iosif Vissarionovich," Pravda, 15 July 1951.
- "For Pre-Term Fulfillment of the 1951 Plan," Pravda, 15 July 1951.
- "For High Quality Production," Pravda, 6 July 1951.
- "Meeting of Workers of Industry and Transport of Moscow City and Oblast," Moskovskaya Pravda, 8 July 1951.
- "For Pre-Term Fulfillment of the 1951 Plan! From a Meeting of Workers of Industry and Transport of Moscow City and Oblast," Moskovskaya Pravda, 8 July 1951.

**II. 26 August -- Miner's Day.**

1. Soviet Miners -- an advanced detachment of the working class of the USSR.
2. The continual concern of the party and government for improving the working conditions of the miners. Equipping the mining industry with progressive, modern techniques.
3. The struggle for pre-term fulfillment and overfulfillment of plans for extracting coal -- a patriotic duty of miners in the Moscow area.
4. We will greet Miner's Day with new victories in fulfillment and overfulfillment of pledges to Comrade Stalin.

Literature

- "From the Miners and Mine Construction Workers of the 'Moskvougol' Combine and the 'Mosshakhtostroy' and 'Otkrytshakhtostroy' Trusts to the Chairman of the Council of Ministers USSR Comrade Stalin, I. V.," Pravda, 25 April 1951.
- "From the Workers, Engineering-Technical Workers and Employees of Enterprises of Industry and Transport of the City of Moscow and Moscow Oblast to the Chairman of the Council of Ministers USSR Comrade Stalin, Iosif Vissarionovich," Pravda, 15 July 1951.

### III. The great constructions of Communism -- a national affair.

1. The great constructions of Communism -- a clear indication of the growth of the economic might of the Soviet State and its peace loving foreign policy.
2. Broad participation of the Soviet peoples in building new hydroelectric stations and canals.
3. The great contribution of the industries of Moscow City and Oblast in construction of hydrotechnical structures in the socialist Spain.
4. Carry out the orders for the great constructions rapidly and well, furnish machinery, equipment, and materials to construction workers in good time -- an affair of honor for workers of industry and commerce.

We will celebrate the anniversary of the government decree on construction of the Budyonovsk and Stalinsk hydroelectric stations by expanding socialist competitions for pre-term fulfillment of construction for the building of Communism.

Literature  
 "Talk with a Pravda correspondent," Sospolitizdat  
 "Competitions for the great constructions," Pravda, 16 June 1951  
 "The People Build the Structures of Communism," Pravda  
 17 February 1951.

1. Carry out socialist competition of construction workers for the pre-term fulfillment of excellent quality of construction.
2. The pre-term fulfillment of the plan for housing and cultural-welfare construction is a militant task for all construction workers.
3. The struggle for raising the productivity of labor, for mastery of the techniques of rapid construction, lowering production costs, and improving the quality of construction -- the basis of construction workers' socialist obligations.
4. Persistently master the experience of innovators in construction work, fully utilize every kilogram of metal, cement, every brick -- the patriotic duty of construction workers.
5. Speed up the tempo for erecting buildings, improve the culture of labor, work by daily schedules -- an affair of honor for the construction collectives of Moscow City and Oblast.
6. How our construction project, sector, and brigade are carrying out socialist competition for fulfillment of the obligations pledged in a letter to Comrade Stalin.

#### Literature

"Build Rapidly, Continually, and at Low Cost!" Pravda, 19 June 1951.  
 "To Comrade Stalin from Participants at an All-Moscow Meeting of Construction Workers," Moskovskaya Pravda, 17 February 1951.

- V. We will gather the harvest in the shortest possible time and without losses and fulfill in advance the plan for grain deliveries.

1. Gathering the harvest on time and without losses, pre-term fulfillment

of the plan for grain deliveries — a most important economic-political task for agricultural workers.

2. Fulfillment and overfulfillment of norms for output by every kolхоз man and woman, full participation by every agricultural artel member and his family — most important conditions for gathering the harvest in the shortest possible time.
3. Full and high-production utilisation of techniques in harvesting work — basic conditions for successful gathering of the harvest.
4. Detailed fulfillment of working plans for gathering the harvest and hourly work schedules — prerequisites for gathering the harvest on time.
5. The struggle against losses while gathering and bringing in produce — a most important task of agricultural workers.
6. We will expand socialist competition for successful fulfillment of obligations undertaken in a letter to Comrade Stalin.

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- "Militant Tasks of Agricultural Workers," Moskovskaya Pravda, 20 July 1951.
- "Meeting of Kolхоз Chairmen and Leading Agricultural Workers of Moscow Oblast," Moskovskaya Pravda, 12 July 1951.
- "In 1951 We Shall Significantly Increase the Production of All Agricultural Crops and Livestock," Moskovskaya Pravda, 12, 13, 14 July 1951.
- "We Will Gather the Harvest in Time and Without Losses; We Shall Fulfill the Grain Delivery Plan in Advance," Moskovskaya Pravda, 17 July 1951.

VI. The MTS — a decisive force in gathering the harvest.  
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1. The continual concern of the Soviet government for mechanization of agricultural labor. The role of the MTS in utmost mechanization of laborious processes.
2. Assure uninterrupted high quality work of all machinery and gather the harvest in the shortest possible time without losses — the chief task of MTS workers.
3. Achieve high quality work day by day with combines and other machinery, ~~uninterruptedly by hourly schedules, gather the harvest without losses — an affair of honor for machine operators.~~ work uninterruptedly by hourly schedules, gather the harvest without losses — an affair of honor for machine operators.
4. Timely and careful care of harvesting machinery, introduction of the progressive experience of machine operators — important conditions for excellent gathering of the harvest.
5. We will expand socialist competition of machine operators for improving utilisation of combines, reapers, and threshers, for pre-term fulfillment of obligations undertaken in competitions.

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- "In the Ministry of Agriculture USSR. On the Initiative of Progressive Combine Operators in Organization of Socialist Competition of Workers of Combines and Introduction of Leading Work Methods for Gathering the Harvest in 1951," Sotsialisticheskoye Zemelstvo, 1 July 1951.
- "Meeting of Combine Operators and Machine Operators of Machine-Tractor Stations of Moscow Oblast," Moskovskaya Pravda, 14 July 1951.

"To All Combine Operators and Workers of Combine Units,"  
Sotsialisticheskaya Zvezdelitsa, 20 June 1951.  
 "Improve the Technological Exploitation of Machinery,"  
Sotsialisticheskaya Zvezdelitsa, 14 July 1951.  
 "We Shall Gather the Harvest in Good Time and Without Losses,  
 We Shall Fulfill the Plan for Grain Deliveries in Advance,"  
Moskovskaya Pravda, 17 July 1951.

# VII. The struggle of the peoples for peace.

1. Comrade Stalin on tasks of the peoples in the struggle to avert war and preserve peace.
2. Successful collection of signatures to the Appeal for Conclusion of a Peace Pact between the five Great Powers -- a clear expression of the striving of the peoples for peace.
3. The significance of the decisions of the Executive Bureau of the World Federation of Trade Unions and the session of the International Democratic Federation of Women for strengthening the unity of the democratic camp in the struggle for peace and democracy.
4. Proposal of the Soviet government for stopping hostilities in Korea -- evidence of the continual striving of the USSR for peace and cooperation between all peoples.
5. The USSR -- the leading force in the struggle of the peoples for a lasting peace and international cooperation.

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 "Increase the Activity of the Masses in the Struggle for Peace," Pravda, 5 July 1951.  
 "The Decisive Role of the Popular Masses in the Defense of Peace," Bol'shevik, No 10, 1951.  
 "Appeal of the International Democratic Women's Federation to Women of all the World," Pravda, 25 June 1951.  
 "Strengthen the Unity of the Workers. Resolution of the Executive Bureau of the World Federation of Trade Unions." Pravda, 14 July 1951.  
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